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ANNUAL REPORT

OF

Name: BAYLAND TELEPHONE, INC.

Principal Office: 2710 U.S. HWY. 41 & 141

ABRAMS, WI 54101

For the Year Ended: DECEMBER 31, 1996

TELECOMMUNICATIONS UTILITY TO PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

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I ROGER L. HERMSEN	of
(Person responsible for acco	ounts)
BAYLAND TELEPHONE, INC.	, certify that I
(Utility Name)	
am the person responsible for accounts; that I have examined knowledge, information and belief, it is a correct statement of t period covered by the report in respect to each and every material.	the business and affairs of said utility for the
ROGER L. HERMSEN	05/01/1997
(Person responsible for accounts)	(Date)
VICE PRESIDENT	<u> </u>
(Title)	

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Access Line Central office line equipment, or equivalent, and all outside plant facilities, or equivalent,

> required to connect the serving central office with the customer premises via physical connection, frequency transmission, and/or time slot transmission. From an engineering perspective, a channel connection is at a DS0 level. A DS0 level is a 4 KHz voice channel or a

64 kilobits per second digital channel.

Analog Signal A signal that varies in a continuous manner such as voice or music. An analog signal must be

contrasted with a digital signal which can assume only discrete values.

A high capacity land mobile radio system in which an assigned frequency spectrum is divided Cellular System

into discrete channels that are assigned to a cellular geographic serving area.

Central Office A switching unit in a telephone system providing service to the general public, having the

necessary equipment and operating arrangements for terminating and interconnecting lines

and trunks.

Centrex A service for customers with many stations that permits station-to-station dialing, one listed

> directory number for the customer, direct inward dialing to a particular station and station identification on outgoing calls. The switching functions are performed in a central office

(stand alone, host or remote).

Channel An electrical communications path between two or more points. A single pair of wires may

provide more than one channel. A channel may also be provided by microwave.

A person who uses a telephone as a subscriber. Customer

Digital Signal A signal that has a limited number of discrete states. This may be contrasted with an analog

signal that varies in a continuous manner and may have an infinite number of states.

Equal Access The ability of the subscriber to use any long distance service by dialing the same number of

digits.

Exchange A defined area served by one or more central offices regardless of technical serving

> arrangements within which the company furnishes service at rates and rules prescribed for that area in the company's filed tariffs. The area is not necessarily marked by political

boundaries or the location of host or remote switching units.

Extended Area

The ability of a customer to call customers in other exchanges at no additional charge or at an additional charge per tariff. Service (EAS)

Extended The ability of a customer to call customers in other exchanges at rates usually above EAS Community rates but below toll rates for comparable distances. Rates generally include a duration Calling (ECC) element.

Feature Group A Line-side originating and terminating LATA access for which an originating subscriber dials an

assigned telephone number that connects to a specific interexchange carrier (IC). The IC returns a tone to signal the caller to input additional generated digits of the called number.

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Trunk-side originating and terminating LATA access for which an originating subscriber dials a Feature Group B

> 950-WXXX number (where W=0, 1 and XXX is the carrier access code (CAC)), which is translated to a specific XXX carrier trunk group. Optional rotary dial service and ANI may be

available.

Feature Group C Trunk-side LATA access for AT&T-Communications generally on a direct

basis between each end office (EO) and an AT&T-C switching system.

Feature Group D Also referred to as equal access. It is trunk-side LATA access affording call supervision of an

interexchange carrier, a uniform access code (10XXXXX), optional calling party identification,

recording of access-charge billing details and presubscription to a customer specified

interexchange carrier.

FX-IN A nonswitched service where the customer of the company is connected to and receives

switching service through central office equipment located in another exchange area.

A switched service where facilities are provided from the central office out to the exchange **FX-OUT**

boundary where it meets the line from a foreign exchange subscriber.

Host Switching

A switching system that provides centralized control over most of the switching functions of **System** one or more remote switching units. The host switching system usually provides trunk access

to the operating company intraLATA networks.

Local Access Transport Area (LATA)

A geographic area within which an operating company may offer its telecommunications

services.

Mobile Telephone A service which provides radio telephone communication from a mobile vehicle to another

vehicle or to a regular telephone.

A service which provides one-way signal or voice communication over a radio channel to a **Paging**

miniature receiver carried by the customer.

Pair Two wires of a single circuit.

Pay Station A telephone which normally requires all users to deposit one or more coins or use a

credit card to complete a call.

Private Line

Service

Channel or circuit rented for private use and not intended to be connected to the general

distribution system.

Private Branch Exchange (PBX)

A manually, or operator controlled switching system, usually on the customer's premises,

which serves that customer's telephones over a common group of lines from the central office.

Radio Common

Carrier (RCC) channels.

A company which furnishes public telecommunications service using one or more radio

Remote Switching An electronic switching system that is remote from its host or control office. All of the central

Unit (RSU) control equipment for the RSU is located in the host switching system.

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Route Miles

Total number of route miles (to the nearest mile) of operating plant facilities including drop wire in the exchange. One route mile may consist of:

- 1. One mile of roadway with any combination of outside plant facilities on any number of rights-of-way.
- 2. One mile of a cross country route with any combination of outside plant facilities.
- 3. One mile of point-to-point microwave or radio link.
- 4. One mile of plant on either side of a limited access highway or natural barrier, such as a navigable waterway.
- 5. One mile of joint use line where the utility either owns the facility or leases space.

Stand Alone Switch

A central office switch which has no remote switching units (RSUs) subtending it.

Trunk

A communications path connecting two switching systems in the establishment of an end-to-end connection.

Wide Area Telephone Service (WATS)

Customer leased access line or lines connected to the nationwide network over which an unlimited number of calls can be made for a fixed monthly charge.

Wire Center

The location of one or more local switching systems. A point at which customers' loops converge.

ABBREVIATIONS USED IN ANNUAL REPORTS

Acct	 Account
Accum	 Accumulated
Acq	 Acquisition
Admin	 Administrative
Alloc	 Allocation
Amort	 Amortization

CO Central Office

Depr Depreciation

EquipEquipmentExpExpensesEOYEnd of Year

FOY First of Year

Info Information

ITC Investment Tax Credit

Misc Miscellaneous

NonoperNonoperatingNonregNonregulated

OperOperatingOpnsOperationsOrigOriginating

Prop Property

ReceivReceivableRegRegulatedRevRevenues

Svcs Services

Telecom Telecommunications

Term Terminating

TPIS Telecommunications Plant in Service

TPUC Telecommunications Plant Under Construction

Uncoll Uncollectible

IDENTIFICATION AND OWNERSHIP

Exact Utility Name: BAYLAND TELEPHONE, INC. **Utility Location:** 2710 U.S. HWY. 41 & 141

ABRAMS, WI 54101

Utility Web Site Address:

When was utility organized?: 01/01/1907

Report any change in name and the effective date:

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IDENTIFICATION AND OWNERSHIP

List names, addresses, and number of shares held by persons owning 5 percent or more of outstanding voting securities. If any stock is held by a nominee, give known particulars as to the beneficial owner (See Wis. Stat. § 196.795(1)(c), for definition of beneficial owner).

Name: CHRISTINE C. FRENCH

Address: 3517 BARKWOOD LANE

MANITOWOC, WI 54220

Number of Shares Held: 415

Beneficial Owner: NONE

Name: DONALD & RUTH LE BRECK

Address: 1122 BIEMERET STREET

GREEN BAY, WI 54304-3314

Number of Shares Held: 468

Beneficial Owner: NONE

Name: HELEN L. HERMSEN

Address: 13575 KERRY LANE

EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55346-3152

Number of Shares Held: 468

Beneficial Owner: NONE

Name: J. ROGER HERSMEN

Address: 921C WINDFIELD PLACE

APPLETON, WI 54911

Number of Shares Held: 906

Beneficial Owner: NONE

Name: JEAN J. HERMSEN

Address: 2832B MADISON STREET

WAUKESHA, WI 53188-4507

Number of Shares Held: 408

Beneficial Owner: NONE

Name: PATRICK & MARY ANDERSON

Address: 3502 E. BOTTSFORD AVE.

CUDAHY, WI 53110-1134

Number of Shares Held: 450

Beneficial Owner: NONE

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Name: PAUL G. HERMSEN

Address: 622 SARATOGA DRIVE

GREEN BAY, WI 54303

Number of Shares Held: 415

Beneficial Owner: NONE

Name: ROGER L. HERMSEN

Address: 2853 TIMBER LANE

GREEN BAY, WI 54313

Number of Shares Held: 415

Beneficial Owner: NONE

List companies owned, controlled, or operated and form and extent of such ownership, control or operation.

Company Name:

Form of Interest:

Extent Of Interest:

INCOME STATEMENT - TOTAL COMPANY

Particulars (a)	This Year (b)	Last Year (c)	
Operating Revenues (5000-5300)	1,384,773	1,233,202	1
Operating Expenses			
Plant Specific Operations Expense (6110-6410)	271,367	195,358	2
Plant Nonspecific Operations Expense	386,963	317,442	3
Customer Operations Expense (6610-6620)	217,883	208,084	4
Corporate Operations Expense (6710-6790)	219,130	182,075	5
Other Operating Income and Expense (7100)	0	0	6
Operating Taxes (7200)	109,940	110,749	7
Total Operating Expenses	1,205,283	1,013,708	8
Net Operating Income	179,490	219,494	9
Other Income			
Nonoperating Income and Expense (7300)	374,622	33,508	10
Nonoperating Taxes (7400)	139,593	9,635	11
Interest and Related Items (7500)	127,338	108,567	12
Extraordinary Items (7600)	0	0	13
Nonregulated Net Income (7990)	4,947	19,829	14
Total Nonoperating Income	112,638	(64,865)	15
Net Income	292,128	154,629	16

NOTES TO INCOME STATEMENT OR BALANCE SHEET

In the space provided below, disclose all material information not included elsewhere in this report that is necessary to make the financial statements clear and understandable. Included should be:

- 1. A summary of significant accounting policies. (The summaries should disclose, but not be limited to, the utility's accounting policies with regard to pension cost, unbilled revenues, depreciation, and income taxes.)
 - 1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:
 - A. TELEPHONE PLANT IS RECORDED AT ORIGINAL COST. DEPRECIATION IS COMPUTED ON STRAIGHT-LINE BASIS BY APPLYING A RATE TO GROUP ACCOUNT ASSETS FOR BOOK AND TAX PURPOSES.
 - B. THE COMPANY HAS ELECTED TO DEFER INCOME TAX SAVINGS EARNED BY INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT AND IS AMORTIZING THESE SAVINGS OVER THE SERVICE LIFE OF THE ASSETS ON WHICH THE ITC WAS GENERATED. DEFERRED INCOME TAXES HAVE BEEN RECORDED ON ALL TEMPORARY TIMING DIFFERENCES.
 - C. THE COMPANY HAS DEFINED CONTRIBUTION PENSION PLAN WHICH IS ADMINISTERED BY A TRUSTEE AND COVERS ALL ELIGIBLE EMPLOYEES. PENSION PLAN EXPENSE FOR 1996 AMOUNTS TO \$50,631.
 - D. IN GENERAL, REVENUES ARE RECOGNIZED WHEN EARNED REGARDLESS OF WHEN ACTUALLY RECEIVED.
- 2. A summary of significant contingent assets and liabilities existing at year end, including a brief explanation of any action initiated by the Internal Revenue Service, Wisconsin Department of Revenue, or the utility involving a possible assessment or refund of taxes.
- 3. The notes should include an explicit and precise explanation of any retained earnings restrictions and should state the amount of retained earnings affected by such restrictions.

BALANCE SHEET - ASSETS (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY *)

Particulars (a)	BalanceEOY (b)	BalanceFOY (c)	
CURRENT ASSETS			
CASH AND EQUIVALENTS			
Cash and Equivalents (1120)*	265,278	264,703	1
Cash (1130)		0	_ 2
Special Cash Deposits (1140)		0	3
Working Cash Advances (1150)		0	_ 4
Temporary Investments (1160)		0	5
TOTAL CASH AND EQUIVALENTS	265,278	264,703	_
RECEIVABLES AND ALLOWANCES FOR DOUBTFUL ACCOUNT	ITS		
Telecommunications Accounts Receivable (1180)*	50,167	38,916	_ 6
Accounts Receivable Allowance-Telecom (1181)*		0	7
Net: Telecommunications Accounts Receivable	50,167	38,916	
Other Accounts Receivable (1190)*	84,718	93,545	_ 8
Accounts Receivable AllowanceOther (1191)*		0	9
Net: Other Accounts Receivable	84,718	93,545	
Notes Receivable (1200)*	0	0	_ 10
Notes Receivable Allowance (1201)*	0	0	11
Net: Notes Receivable	0	0	
Interest and Dividends Receivable (1210)*	492	139	_ 12
TOTAL RECEIVABLES AND ALLOWANCES FOR DOUBTFUL	135,377	132,600	_
SUPPLIES			
Inventories (1220)*	21,326	26,464	13
TOTAL SUPPLIES	21,326	26,464	_
PREPAYMENTS			
Total Prepayments (1280)*		0	_ 14
Prepaid Rents (1290)		0	15
Prepaid Taxes (1300)		0	16
Prepaid Insurance (1310)		0	17
Prepaid Directory Expenses (1320)		0	18
Other Prepayments (1330)		0	 19
TOTAL PREPAYMENTS	0	0	
OTHER CURRENT ASSETS			_
Other Current Assets (1350)*		0	20
TOTAL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	0	0	
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	421,981	423,767	_
NONCURRENT ASSETS	421,001	420,101	_
INVESTMENTS			
Investment in Affiliated Companies (1401)*	0	0	21
Investments in Nonaffiliated Companies (1402)*	5,300	5,300	22
Nonregulated Investments (1406)*	37,684	48,625	 23
Unamortized Debt Issuance Expense (1407)*	657	704	24
Sinking Funds (1408)*	0	0	25

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BALANCE SHEET - ASSETS (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY *)

Particulars (a)	BalanceEOY (b)	BalanceFOY (c)	
NONCURRENT ASSETS			
INVESTMENTS			
Other Noncurrent Assets (1410)*	1,004,022	749,584	_ 26
TOTAL INVESTMENTS	1,047,663	804,213	_
DEFERRED CHARGES			
Deferred Tax Regulatory Asset (1437)*	0	0	27
Deferred Maintenance and Retirements (1438)*	0	0	_ 28
Deferred Charges (1439)*	27,939	0	29
TOTAL DEFERRED CHARGES	27,939	0	
TOTAL NONCURRENT ASSETS	1,075,602	804,213	
PLANT		,	_
TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE			
Telecommunications Plant in Service (2001)*	5,226,278	4,671,362	_ 30
Less: Accumulated Depreciation (3100)*	2,135,523	1,843,386	31
Less: Accumulated AmortizationCapitalized Leases (3410)*		0	_ 32
Less: Accumulated AmortizationLeasehold Improvements (3420)*		0	33
Less: Accumulated AmortizationIntangible (3500)*		0	_ 34
NET TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE	3,090,755	2,827,976	_
PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE USE			
Prop. Held for Future Telecommun. Use (2002)*		0	35
Less: Accumulated DepreciationHeld for Future		0	_ 36
Telecommunications Use (3200)*		•	
NET PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE USE	0	0	_
NONOPERATING PLANT		_	
Nonoperating Plant (2006)*		0	37
Less: Accumulated DepreciationNonoperating (3300)*		0	_ 38
NET NONOPERATING PLANT	0	0	_
TPUC			
TPUC (2003)*		0	39
TOTAL TPUC	0	0	_
TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT ADJUSTMENT			
Telecommunications Plant Adjustment (2005)*		0	_ 40
Less: Accumulated AmortizationOther (3600)*		0	41
NET TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT ADJUSTMENT	0	0	
TOTAL PLANT	3,090,755	2,827,976	
TOTAL ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS*	4,588,338	4,055,956	_

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BALANCE SHEET - LIABILITIES (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY *)

Particulars (a)	BalanceEOY (b)	BalanceFOY (c)	
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Accounts Payable (4010)*	74,156	72,824	1
Notes Payable (4020)*	0	0	_ 2
Advance Billing and Payments (4030)*		0	3
Customer Deposits (4040)*	300	300	_ 4
Current MaturitiesLong-Term Debt (4050)*	0	0	5
Current MaturitiesCapital Leases (4060)*		0	_ 6
Income TaxesAccrued (4070)*	19,577	23,933	7
Other TaxesAccrued (4080)*	(5,486)	(9,278)	_ 8
Net Current Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4100)*	0	0	9
Net Current Deferred Nonoperating Income Taxes (4110)*		0	10
Other Accrued Liabilities (4120)*	20,173	19,506	11
Other Current Liabilities (4130)*		0	12
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES*	108,720	107,285	
LONG-TERM DEBT			
Funded Debt (4210)*	2,899,021	2,418,983	13
Premium on Long-Term Debt (4220)*		0	14
Discount on Long-Term Debt (4230)*		0	 15
Reacquired Debt (4240)*	0	0	16
Obligations Under Capital Leases (4250)*		0	 17
Advances from Affiliated Companies (4260)*	0	0	18
Other Long-Term Debt (4270)*	170,000	295,000	19
TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT*	3,069,021	2,713,983	_
OTHER LIABILITIES AND DEFERRED CREDITS			
Other Long-Term Liabilities (4310)*		0	_ 20
Unamortized Operating ITCNet (4320)*	24,094	28,883	21
Unamortized Nonoperating ITCNet (4330)*		0	22
Net Noncurrent Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4340)*	(6,326)	(7,811)	23
Net Deferred Tax Liability Adjustments (4341)*	0	0	24
Net Noncurrent Deferred Nonoperating Income Taxes (4350)*	(22,455)	(6,841)	25
Other Deferred Credits (4360)*		0	_ 26
Deferred Tax Regulatory Liability (4361)*	12,972	12,972	27
TOTAL OTHER LIABILITIES AND DEFERRED CREDITS*	8,285	27,203	_
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Capital Stock (4510)*	229,950	229,950	28
Additional Paid-in Capital (4520)*		0	29
Treasury Stock (4530)*	0	0	30
Other Capital (4540)*	(3,968)	(3,335)	31
Retained Earnings (4550)*	1,176,330	980,870	32
TOTAL STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY*	1,402,312	1,207,485	_
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND OTHER CREDITS*	4,588,338	4,055,956	

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

Item (a)	Amount (b)	
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Net Income	296,084	1
Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:		
Depreciation and amortization	347,407	2
Interest during construction Changes in assets and liabilities:	(4,353)	3
Current assets (net)	2,361	4
Other noncurrent assets	(282,424)	5
Other current liabilities	1,435	6
Other liabilities and deferred credits Other (specify):	(18,918)	7
TOTAL ADJUSTMENTS	45,508	
NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES (NET INCOME & ADJUST.) CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Capital Expenditures: Changes in plant (net)	341,592 (605,833)	8
Investments in affiliated companies	0	9
Nonoperating Investments	10,941	10
Other (specify): NET CASH USING IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES	(594,892)	
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Change in capital lease obligations (net)	0	11
Change in long-term debt (net)	355,132	12
Net changes in stockholder equity other than retained earnings	(633)	13
Change in short term borrowing (net)	0	14
Dividends paid	(45,630)	15
Miscellaneous debits/credits to retained earnings	(54,994)	16
Other (specify): Net Cash Provided by Financing Activities	253,875	
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	575	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		

(Accts. 1130-1160 for Class A; 1120 for Class B)

Cash and cash equivalents at end of year

(Accts. 1130-1160 for Class A; 1120 for Class B)

IMPORTANT CHANGES DURING THE YEAR

1. Give the name and address of all companies which during the year came under the direct control of the respondent otherwise than through title to securities, stating whether such control is sole or joint, how control was established, names of other parties to a joint agreement for control, the extent of control exercised by each party, and any other pertinent data requisite to a clear understanding of the arrangements relating to control (See Section 32.9000 of the Uniform System of Accounts). Where important details relating to control of a company have changed, give particulars. If during the year a company ceased to be controlled by the respondent, its name and a statement of fact will be sufficient.

NONE

2. Give the name and address of all companies which during the year came under the indirect control of the respondent through non-reporting intermediaries, stating whether such control is sole or joint, how control was established, names of other parties to a joint agreement for control, the extent of control exercised by each party, the name and address of the intermediary through which the indirect control exists, and any other pertinent data requisite to a clear understanding of the arrangements relating to control (See Section 32.9000 of the Uniform System of Accounts). Where important details relating to control of a company have changed, give particulars. If during the year a company ceased to be controlled by the respondent, its name and a statement of fact will be sufficient.

3. Important leaseholds acquired, given, assigned or surrendered, giving effective dates, lengths of terms, names of parties, rents, and other conditions.

4. List extension of system (other than additions supplementing existing facilities of the respondent) whether by purchase, construction, donation, or otherwise, such as a substantially complete telephone system, exchange or toll line. Give the location, new territory covered, and dates of beginning operation, and in case of purchase give also the name and address of the company from which purchased, date of acquisition, the consideration given, and reference to Commission authorization.

NONE

5. Estimated increase or decrease in annual revenues due to important rate changes, giving bases of estimates.

NONE

6. Obligation incurred or assumed by respondent as guarantor for the performance by another of any agreement or obligation, excluding ordinary commercial paper maturing on demand or not later than one year after date of issue.

NONE

7. Changes in articles of incorporation or amendments to charter.

NONE

8. Additional matters of fact (not elsewhere provided for) which respondent may desire to include in its report.

NONE

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AFFILIATE ABBREVIATIONS

In column (b) provide the abbreviation for the name of the affiliate shown in column (a). Limit abbreviations to 10 characters or less. Use these abbreviations when completing the affiliated interest schedules. Insert "Other" in the Abbreviations column if the activity to be reported for a particular record in the Affiliated Interest Transactions or Affiliated Assets and Liabilities schedule represents an aggregation of activity not exceeding the dollar or percentage limits set forth in the header of that schedule.

	Name of Affiliate	Abbreviations	
	(a)	(b)	
NONE		NONE	1

AFFILIATED INTEREST TRANSACTIONS

Provide a summary of transactions under established affiliated interest contracts and arrangements (see Wis. Stat. § 196.52, for "affiliated interest" definitions). Use the space below to report transactions with individual affiliates and multiple affiliated interest agreements or, at the utility's option, with individual affiliates and a single agreement. Activity associated with affiliated contracts or arrangements not in excess of \$25,000 or 5 percent of the equity of the utility, whichever is smaller, may be aggregated in a single record. For utilities whose intrastate gross operating revenues of the previous year exceeded \$100,000,000, individual contracts or arrangements not exceeding \$100,000 may be aggregated in a single record. Where an affiliate is both providing and receiving service use one record to show billings to and a second record for billings from. When billings to or from an affiliate are recorded on the books of the utility, the records underlying such billings shall be sufficient to show all the detail maintained to identify the associated accounts related to the billing and categorize billings according to the account categories shown below.

Particulars
(a) (b) (c) (d) (e)

NONE

Name of Affiliate				
Designate whether billed to or from:				
Cost Based (C), Market Price (M),				
Prevailing Price (P), Tariff (T), Other (O)				
Revenues				
Expenses:				
Plant Specific Operations Expense				
Plant Nonspecific Operations Expense				
Customer Operations Expense				
Corporate Operations Expense				
Total Operating Expenses	0	0	0	0
Other:				
Plant Accounts				
Accumulated Depreciation				
Accumulated Amortization				
Clearing				
All Other				
Total	0	0	0	0
Percent of affiliate's business billed to				
all affiliated regulated utilities				
If cost based, rate of return on equity				
or markup incorporated in billings				
Footnotes				

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AFFILIATED ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

This schedule should be used to report affiliated activity concerning balances at the end of the year for the following accounts: 1120, Cash and Equivalents; 1160, Temporary Investments; 1180, Telecommunications Accounts Receivable; 1190, Other Accounts Receivable; 1210, Interest and Dividends Receivable; 1401, Investment in Affiliated Companies; 4010, Accounts Payable; and 4260, Advances from Affiliated Companies. Amounts at the end of the year for each affiliate should be identified by respective affiliate and account number. Report information below consecutively by respective account number; affiliated amounts of less than \$5,000 may be reported in aggregate as "other" for a particular account. Affiliated amounts recorded in accounts 1200, Notes Receivable, 1408, Sinking Funds, and 4020, Notes Payable, should not be reported in this schedule, but rather in the respective schedules contained elsewhere in this report.

	Account	Balance	
Name of Affiliate	Number	EOY	
(a)	(b)	(c)	

NONE

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ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE NET WRITE OFFS - TELECOMMUNICATIONS

This schedule should be used to report accounts receivable net write off activity.

Particulars (a)	Amount (b)
Collection of amounts previously written off	1
Uncollectibles written off during the year	2
Net write offs during the year	0

NOTES RECEIVABLE (ACCT. 1200) AND ALLOWANCES (ACCT. 1201)

For affiliates, list by issue or note by affiliate. Other, list by issue or note by entity. Separately identify economic development loans and associated particulars.

Name of Maker	Issue		Interest	Amount	Allowance	
and purpose	Date	Maturity	Rate	EOY	Acct. 1201	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	

NONE

Total ______0 ____1

INVESTMENTS IN NONAFFILIATED COMPANIES (ACCT. 1402)

Name (a)	Balance EOY (b)	
RTB Class B Stock	5,300	1
Other:		
Total Investments in Nonaffiliated Companies	5,300	

NONREGULATED INVESTMENTS (ACCT. 1406)

Report below the name and end-of-year balance of total net investment and inventory (accts. 1406.10, 1406.11 and 1406.12) for each nonregulated activity. Telephone utilities not subject to dual jurisdiction should report materials and supplies held for resale in account 1406.

Name (a)	Balance EOY (b)	
Total Net Investment and Inventory (Accts. 1406.10, 1406.11, and 1406.12):		
INVENTORY FOR RESALE	28,520	1
INTERNET EQUIPMENT, NET	9,164	2

DEFERRED MAINTENANCE AND RETIREMENTS (ACCT. 1438)

List items individually by Commission approval noting the date of approval.

Description of Item (a)		Balance EOY (b)
NONE		0 1
Total		0

TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B

Plant Account (a)	Account (b)	Balance FOY (c)	Additions (d)	
GENERAL SUPPORT ASSETS				
Land	2111	9,574		1
Motor Vehicles	2112	110,905	18,746	2
Aircraft	2113	0		3
Special Purpose Vehicles	2114	0		4
Garage Work Equipment	2115	0		5
Other Work Equipment	2116	25,588	1,597	6
Buildings	2121	244,094		7
Furniture	2122	11,677		8
Office Equipment	2123	25,863	0	9
General Purpose Computers	2124	72,763	29,674	10
TOTALGENERAL SUPPORT ASSETS:		500,464	50,017	
CENTRAL OFFICE ASSETS				
Analog Electronic Switching	2211	0		11
Digital Electronic Switching	2212	1,419,390	96,358	12
Electro-Mechanical Switching	2215	0	0	13
Operator Systems	2220	0		14
Radio Systems	2231	0	0	15
Circuit Equipment	2232	401,958	35,733	16
TOTALCENTRAL OFFICE ASSETS:		1,821,348	132,091	
INFORMATION ORIGINATION/TERMINATION ASSE				
Station Apparatus	2311	0		17
Customer Premises Wiring	2321	0		18
Large Private Branch Exchanges	2341	0		19
Public Telephone Terminal Equipment	2351	7,621	790	20
Other Terminal Equipment	2362	0		21
TOTALINFORMATION ORIG/TERM ASSETS: CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS		7,621	790	
Poles	2411	0		22
Aerial Cable	2421	0	0	23
Underground Cable	2422	0	0	24
Buried Cable	2423	2,341,929	426,795	25
Submarine Cable	2424	0	0	26
Deep Sea Cable	2425	0		27
Intrabuilding Network Cable	2426	0	0	28
Aerial Wire	2431	0		29
Conduit Systems	2441	0		30
TOTALCABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS:		2,341,929	426,795	
AMORTIZABLE ASSETS Capital Leases	2681	0		31

TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B (cont.)

	Balance EOY (h)	Transfers / Adjustments (g)	Retirements (f)	Account (e)
1	8,946		628	2111
2	120,421		9,230	2112
3	0		,	2113
4	0			2114
5	0			2115
6	27,003		182	2116
7	244,094			2121
8	11,677			2122
9	25,863	0	0	2123
10	76,846		25,591	2124
	514,850	0	35,631	
11	0			2211
12	1,506,614	0	9,134	2212
13	0	0	0	2215
14	0			2220
15	0	0	0	2231
16	437,691	0	0	2232
	1,944,305	0	9,134	
17	0			2311
18	0			2321
19	0			2341
20	8,411			2351
21	0			2362
	8,411	0	0	
22	0			2411
23	0	0	0	2421
24	0	0	0	2422
25	2,758,712	0	10,012	2423
26	0	0	0	2424
27	0			2425
28	0	0	0	2426
29	0			2431
30	0			2441
	2,758,712	0	10,012	
31	0			2681

TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B

		Balance		
Plant Account	Account	FOY	Additions	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	
AMORTIZABLE ASSETS				
Leasehold Improvements	2682	0		32
Intangibles	2690	0		33
TOTALAMORTIZABLE ASSETS:		0	0	
TOTAL TELECOM. PLANT IN SERVICE	2001	4,671,362	609,693	
Less: Allocation to Nonregulated Activity - EOY	2001			34
NET REG. TOTAL TELE. PLANT IN SERV EOY	2001			

Explain all amounts shown in column (g).

TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B (cont.)

count (e)	Retirements (f)	Transfers / Adjustments (g)	Balance EOY (h)	
682			0	32
590			0	33
	0	0	0	
	54,777	0	5,226,278	
001			0	34
			5,226,278	

TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B (SUB-CLASS ACCOUNTS)

Report telecommunications plant data for each subaccount where primary plant accounts have subclassifications. Amounts pertaining to subaccount 2212.4, Test Equipment, should be reported in account 2212.2, Digital Switching - Central Office; amounts for subaccounts 2231.3, Microwave, 2231.4, Cellular, 2231.5, Mobile Radio, and 2231.6, Paging, should be included in 2231.2, Other Radio Facilities; amounts pertaining to subaccounts 2232.4, Digital Data Services, 2232.5, Digital Circuit - Subscriber, 2232.6, Digital Circuit - Trunk - Toll, and 2232.7, Concentrators, should be reported in 2232.1, Digital Circuit Equipment. Any other separate accounting for telephone plant at an individual telephone company should be consolidated and reported in the primary accounts as defined in the uniform system of accounts.

		Dalalice		
Plant Subaccount	Subaccount	FOY	Additions	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	
Office Support Equipment	2123.1	13,744		1
Company Communications Equipment	2123.2	12,119		_ 2
Software	2212.1	1,419,390		3 A
Digital Switching - Central Office	2212.2	0	96,358	_ 4 A,
Digital Switching - Remote	2212.3	0		5 A,
Step by Step Switching	2215.1	0		_ 6
Crossbar Switching	2215.2	0		7
Satellite and Earth Station Facilities	2231.1	0		_ 8
Other Radio Facilities	2231.2	0		9
Digital Circuit Equipment	2232.1	333,775	13,834	_10
Analog Circuit Equipment	2232.2	0		11
Light Wave Circuit Equipment	2232.3	68,183	21,899	12
Aerial Cable - Nonmetallic	2421.1	0		13
Aerial Cable - Metallic	2421.2	0		_14
Underground Cable - Nonmetallic	2422.1	0		15
Underground Cable - Metallic	2422.2	0		16
Buried Cable - Nonmetallic	2423.1	419,791	123,724	 17 A
Buried Cable - Metallic	2423.2	1,922,138	303,071	18 A
Submarine Cable - Nonmetallic	2424.1	0		 19
Submarine Cable - Metallic	2424.2	0		20
Intrabuilding Cable - Nonmetallic	2426.1	0		 21
Intrabuilding Cable - Metallic	2426.2	0		22

Explain all amounts shown in column (g).

TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B (SUB-CLASS ACCOUNTS) (cont.)

Subaccount (e)	Retirements (f)	Transfers / Adjustments (g)	Balance EOY (h)	
2123.1			13,744	1
2123.2			12,119	2
2212.1		(1,419,390)	0	3 A
2212.2	9,134	1,359,686	1,446,910	4 A,B
2212.3		59,704	59,704	5 A,B
2215.1			0	6
2215.2			0	7
2231.1			0	8
2231.2			0	9
2232.1			347,609	10
2232.2			0	11
2232.3			90,082	12
2421.1			0	13
2421.2			0	14
2422.1			0	15
2422.2			0	16
2423.1		(266,183)	277,332	17 A
2423.2	10,012	266,183	2,481,380	18 A
2424.1			0	19
2424.2			0	20
2426.1			0	21
2426.2			0	22

ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B

Primary Plant Account (a)	Acct (b)	Balance FOY (c)	Depr Rate (d)	Annual Accrual (e)	Additional Accrual (f)
GENERAL SUPPORT ASSETS					
Motor Vehicles	2112	67,853		13,325	1
Aircraft	2113	0			2
Special Purpose Vehicles	2114	0			3
Garage Work Equipment	2115	0			4
Other Work Equipment	2116	21,798	10.0	2,630	5
Buildings	2121	99,925	2.95	7,201	6
Furniture	2122	6,640	10.0	1,168	7
Office Equipment	2123	16,405	16.25	4,182	8
General Purpose Computers	2124	41,533	25.0	18,701	9
TotalGENERAL SUPPORT ASSETS		254,154		47,207	0
CENTRAL OFFICE ASSETS					
Analog Electronic Switching	2211	0			10
Digital Electronic Switching	2212	434,498	8.5	124,355	11
Electro-Mechanical Switching	2215	0			12
Operator Systems	2220	0			13
Radio Systems	2231	0			14
Circuit Equipment	2232	261,669	12.0	48,401	15
Total CENTRAL OFFICE ASSETS		696,167		172,756	0
INFORMATION ORIG/TERM ASSET	TS				
Station Apparatus	2311	0			16
Customer Premises Wiring	2321	0			17
Large Private Branch Exchanges	2341	0			18
Public Telephone Terminal Equipment	2351	7,621	11.8	790	19
Other Terminal Equipment	2362	0			20
TotalINFORMATION ORIG/TERM ASS	ETS	7,621		790	0
CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSET	S				
Poles	2411	0			21
Aerial Cable	2421	0			22
Underground Cable	2422	0			23
Buried Cable	2423	885,444	5.0	126,654	24
Submarine Cable	2424	0			25
Deep Sea Cable	2425	0			26
Intrabuilding Network Cable	2426	0			27
Aerial Wire	2431	0			28

ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B

Primary Plant Account (a)	Acct (b)	Balance FOY (c)	Depr Rate (d)	Annual Accrual (e)	Additional Accrual (f)	
CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS						
Conduit Systems	2441	0			29	
Total CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS		885,444		126,654	0	
Total Accumulated Depreciation	3100	1,843,386		347,407	0	
Less: Allocation to Nonregulated Activity - Columns e, f and I	3100				3	30
Net Regulated Total Accum Depreciation Columns e, f and I	- 3100					

ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B (cont.)

	Balance EOY (I)	Other (k)	Salvage (j)	Cost of Removal (i)	Retired (h)	Acct (g)
1	72,448		500		9,230	2112
2	0					2113
3	0					2114
4	0					2115
5	24,246				182	2116
6	107,126					2121
7	7,808					2122
8	20,587				0	2123
9	34,643				25,591	2124
	266,858	0	500	0	35,003	
10	0					2211
11	549,719	0			9,134	2212
12	0				0	2215
13	0					2220
14	0				0	2231
15	310,070				0	2232
	859,789	0	0	0	9,134	
16	0					2311
17	0					2321
18	0					2341
19	8,411					2351
20	0					2362
	8,411	0	0	0	0	
21	0					2411
22	0				0	2421
23	0				0	2422
24	1,000,465	0		1,621	10,012	2423
25	0			<u> </u>	0	2424
26	0					2425
27	0				0	2426
28	0					2431

ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B (cont.)

Acct (g)	Retired (h)	Cost of Removal (i)	Salvage (j)	Other (k)	Balance EOY (I)	
2441					0	29
	10,012	1,621	0	0	1,000,465	
3100	54,149	1,621	500	0	2,135,523	
3100						30
3100						

ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B (SUB-CLASS ACCOUNTS)

Where subclassifications of primary plant accounts are used, report below the accumulated depreciation details for each subaccount. Amounts pertaining to subaccount 2212.4, Test Equipment, should be reported in account 2212.2, Digital Switching - Central Office; amounts for subaccounts 2231.3, Microwave, 2231.4, Cellular, 2231.5, Mobile Radio, and 2231.6, Paging, should be included in 2231.2, Other Radio Facilities; amounts pertaining to subaccounts 2232.4, Digital Data Services, 2232.5, Digital Circuit - Subscriber, 2232.6, Digital Circuit - Trunk - Toll, and 2232.7, Concentrators, should be reported in 2232.1, Digital Circuit Equipment. Any other separate accounting for telephone accumulated depreciation at an individual telephone company should be consolidated and reported in the primary accounts as defined in the uniform system of accounts.

Plant Subaccount (a)	Subacct (b)	Balance FOY (c)	Depr Rate (d)	Annual Accrual (e)	Additional Accrual (f)	
Office Support Equipment	2123.1	11,171	15.0	2,061		1
Company Communications Equipmen	1 2123.2	5,234	17.5	2,121		2
Software	2212.1	434,498				3
Digital Switching - Central Office	2212.2	0	8.5	119,280		4
Digital Switching - Remote	2212.3	0	8.5	5,075		5
Step by Step Switching	2215.1	0				6
Crossbar Switching	2215.2	0				7
Satellite and Earth Station Facilities	2231.1	0				8
Other Radio Facilities	2231.2	0				9
Digital Circuit Equipment	2232.1	247,791	9.5	40,883		10
Analog Circuit Equipment	2232.2	0				11
Light Wave Circuit Equipment	2232.3	13,878	12.0	7,518		12
Aerial Cable - Nonmetallic	2421.1	0				13
Aerial Cable - Metallic	2421.2	0				14
Underground Cable - Nonmetallic	2422.1	0				15
Underground Cable - Metallic	2422.2	0				16
Buried Cable - Nonmetallic	2423.1	133,042	4.6	9,912		17
Buried Cable - Metallic	2423.2	752,402	5.0	116,742		18
Submarine Cable - Nonmetallic	2424.1	0				19
Submarine Cable - Metallic	2424.2	0				20
Intrabuilding Cable - Nonmetallic	2426.1	0				21
Intrabuilding Cable - Metallic	2426.2	0				22

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ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B (SUB-CLASS ACCOUNTS) (cont.)

Subacct (g)	Retired (h)	Cost of Removal (i)	Salvage (j)	Other (k)	Balance EOY (I)	
2123.1					13,232	1
2123.2					7,355	2
2212.1				(434,498)	0	3 A
2212.2	9,134			432,155	542,301	4 A,B
2212.3				2,343	7,418	5 A,B
2215.1					0	6
2215.2					0	7
2231.1					0	8
2231.2					0	9
2232.1					288,674	10
2232.2					0	11
2232.3					21,396	12
2421.1					0	13
2421.2					0	14
2422.1					0	15
2422.2					0	16
2423.1				(123,808)	19,146	17 A
2423.2	10,012	1,621		123,808	981,319	18 A
2424.1					0	19
2424.2					0	20
2426.1			·		0	21
2426.2					<u> </u>	22

NET DEFERRED OPERATING INCOME TAXES (ACCT. 1350, 1410, 1437, 4100, 4340, 4341 & 4361)

This schedule should be used to report the deferred operating income tax portion of the stated accounts. In addition, column (e) of this schedule should be used to report the flowback of property related excess deferred taxes (e.g., 46 percent versus 34 percent federal tax rates). Credit amounts should be shown in ().

Particulars	Balance FOY	
(a) PROPERTY RELATED	(b)	
	0	
Other Current Assets (1350)	0	1
Other Noncurrent Assets (1410)	0	2
Deferred Tax Regulatory Asset (1437)	0	3
Net Current Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4100)	0	4
Net Noncurrent Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4340)	0	5
Net Deferred Tax Liability Adjustments (4341)	0	6
Deferred Tax Regulatory Liability (4361)	0	7
Net Property Related Deferred Operating Income Taxes	0	
Less: Allocation to Nonregulated Activity		8
Net Regulated Total Property Related Deferred Operating Income Taxes	0	_
NONPROPERTY RELATED		
Other Current Assets (1350)	0	9
Other Noncurrent Assets (1410)	0	10
Deferred Tax Regulatory Asset (1437)	0	11
Net Current Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4100)	0	12
Net Noncurrent Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4340)	7,811	13
Net Deferred Tax Liability Adjustments (4341)	0	14
Deferred Tax Regulatory Liability (4361)	0	15
Total Nonproperty Related Deferred Operating Income Taxes	7,811	

NET DEFERRED OPERATING INCOME TAXES (ACCT. 1350, 1410, 1437, 4100, 4340, 4341 & 4361) (cont.)

	Balance EOY (g)	Adjustments Debit or (Credit) (f)	Current Year Amortization (e)	Current Year Accrual (d)	Acct (c)
1	0				7250
2	0				7250
3	0				
4	0				7250
5	7,469	8,954	1,485		7250
6	0				
7	(12,710)	(12,710)			
	(5,241)	(3,756)	1,485	0	
8	0				
	(5,241)	(3,756)	1,485	0	
9	0				7250
10	0				7250
11	0				
12	0				7250
13	(1,143)	(8,954)			7250
14	0				
15	(262)	(262)			
	(1,405)	(9,216)	0	0	

NOTES PAYABLE (ACCT. 4020)

For affiliate, list note by affiliate. For a particular affiliate, the identical affiliate name, as shown in the Affiliate Abbreviations schedule, should be reported in this schedule. For other, list by note by entity.

	Issue		Interest	Balance	
Name	Date	Maturity	Rate	EOY	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	

NONE

Total Notes Payable _____0 1

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LONG-TERM DEBT

Report data requested and show total for each long-term debt account at end of year. Information concerning the following debt issues may be reported on individual lines in aggregate: REA/RTB 2%, REA/RTB 5%, & REA/RTB 7%. In addition, REA/RTB and FFB debt, respectively, within a range of 200 basis points may also be reported in aggregate on individual lines. If reported in aggregate, a range of dates may be reported in columns (b) and (c) as well as a range of interest rates in column (d) and a composite interest rate in column (e). If aggregation is not utilized, column (e) should contain the same interest rate as reported in column (d). For account 4050 report only the amount of debt anticipated to be repaid in one year or less.

Description of Debt (a)	Specific or Range of Stated Dates of Issue (b)	Specific or Range of Stated Dates of Maturity (c)	Specific or Range of Interest Rates (d)	
Funded Debt (Account 4210):				
REA MORTGAGE NOTES	02/14/1973	02/14/2008	2.0000	_ 1
REA MORTGAGE NOTES	03/13/1982	03/13/2107	5.0000	2
REA MORTGAGE NOTES	09/20/1993	09/20/2015	5.0000	3
RTB MORTGAGE NOTES	01/13/1976	01/13/2011	7.5000	_ 4
Total Funded Debt				_
Other Long-Term Debt (Acct. 4270):				_
RURAL TELEPHONE FINANCE COOP.	05/22/1995	05/22/1997	6.9000	_ 5
Total Other Long-Term Debt				_

LONG-TERM DEBT (cont.)

	Held by	Utility				
Composite Interest Rate (e)	Reacquired Debt Acct. 4240 (f)	Sinking Funds Acct. 1408 (g)	Total Principal EOY (h)	Current Maturities Included in Acct. 4050 (i)	Total Amount Outstanding (j)	
.0000			531,839		531,839	1
.0000			906,491		906,491	2
.0000			1,374,288		1,374,288	3
.0000			86,403		86,403	4
	0	0	2,899,021	0	2,899,021	
.0000			170,000		170,000	5
	0	0	170,000	0	170,000	

CAPITAL STOCK ACCOUNTS AT END OF YEAR

In column (a) indicate the stated dividend rate applicable to each series of preferred stock.

Class and Series (a)	Shares Authorized by Charter (b)	Par Value per Share (c)	Call Price End of Year (d)	
COMMON STOCK:				
COMMON STOCK	20,000	50.00		1
TOTAL COMMON STOCK	20,000			
TOTAL	20,000			

CAPITAL STOCK ACCOUNTS AT END OF YEAR (cont.)

	Acct. 4510 - Capital Stock		Acct. 4530 - Treasury Stock		
	Shares (e)	Amount (f)	Shares (g)	Amount (h)	
COMMON STOCK:					
COMMON STOCK	4,599	229,950			1
	4,599	229,950	0	0	
TOTAL	4,599	229,950	0	0	

RETAINED EARNINGS (ACCT. 4550)

Particulars (a)	This Year (b)	Last Year (c)	
Balance-First of Year	980,870	1,011,482	 1।
Changes:			
Balance Transferred from Income	296,084	154,629	2
Dividends Declared:			
Common	45,630	185,241	3
Preferred		0	4
Total Dividends Declared	45,630	185,241	
Miscellaneous Debits to Retained Earnings	54,994	0	5
Miscellaneous Credits to Retained Earnings		0	6
BalanceEnd of Year	1,176,330	980,870	

DISTRIBUTION OF TAXES

- 1. Report hereunder the summary accounts and functions charged with taxes accrued during the year.
- 2. Where allocation is necessary, explain the basis used.
- 3. Report in a footnote the amounts and kind of taxes cleared from prepaid taxes, if any.

Summary Account/ Function Charged (a)	Wisconsin License Fee (b)	Wisconsin Income Tax (c)	Federal Income Tax (d)
Operating Taxes (Accts. 7210 - 7250)	81,927	6,679	17,601
Nonoperating Taxes (Accts. 7410 - 7450)		31,175	108,418
Extraordinary Items (Accts. 7630 & 7640)			
Nonregulated Net Income (Acct. 7990)		677	2,505
Clearing Accounts			
Construction			
Payroll Taxes: FICA			
Payroll Taxes: State Unemployment			
Payroll Taxes: Federal Unemployment			
Other (specify):			
TOTAL	81,927	38,531	128,524

DISTRIBUTION OF TAXES (cont.)

	Total (j)	Payroll Taxes (i)	Other Taxes (h)	State & Local Taxes Other than Wisconsin (g)	Local Property Tax (f)	PSC Remainder Assessment (e)
	109,940					3,733
	139,593					
	0					
	3,182					
	0					
	0					
	27,253	27,253				
	1,060	1,060				
	662	662				
-	281,690	28,975	0	0	0	3,733

REVENUES - CLASS A & B (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY *)

Particulars (a)	This Year (b)	Last Year (c)	
LOCAL NETWORK SERVICES REV	VENUES		_
Basic Local Service Revenue (5000)*	490,249	437,815	1
Basic Area Revenue (5001)			_ 2
Optional Extended Area Revenue (5002)			3
Cellular Mobile Revenue (5003)			4
Other Mobile Services Revenue (5004)			į
Public Telephone Revenue (5010)			6
Local Private Line Revenue (5040)			7
Customer Premises Revenue (5050)			8
Other Local Exchange Revenue (5060)			_ (
Other Local Exchange Revenue Settlements (5069)			10
TOTAL BASIC LOCAL SERVICE REVENUE (5000)	490,249	437,815	_
NETWORK INTERSTATE ACCESS SER	RVICES REV.		
End User Revenue (5081)*	73,942	69,878	11
Switched Access Revenue (5082)*	325,299	298,192	12
Special Access Revenue (5083)*		0	 13
TOTAL INTERSTATE ACCESS REVENUES (5080)	399,241	368,070	
NETWORK INTRASTATE ACCESS SER	RVICES REV.		_
End User Revenue (5084.1)*		0	14
Switched Access Revenue (5084.2)*	314,055	268,712	 15
Special Access Revenue (5084.3)*		0	16
TOTAL INTRASTATE ACCESS REVENUES (5084)	314,055	268,712	_
LONG DISTANCE NETWORK SERVICES I	MESSAGE REV.		
Long Distance Message Revenue (5100)*		0	17
Long Distance Inward-Only Revenue (5111)			18
Long Distance Outward-Only Revenue (5112)			19
Unidirectional Long Distance Revenue (5110) Long Distance Private Network Revenues Subvoice Grade Revenue (5121)	0	0	20
Voice Grade Revenue (5122)			21
Audio Program Grade Revenue (5123)			22
Video Program Grade Revenue (5124)			2;
Digital Transmission Revenue (5125)			24
Switching Revenue (5126)			 2
Other Revenue (5128)			20
Other Revenue Settlements (5129)			_ 2
Total Long Distance Private Network Revenue Other Long Distance Revenue (5160)	0	0	28
Other Long Distance Revenue Settlements (5169)			29
TOTAL LONG DISTANCE NET. SERVICES MESSAGE REV.	0	0	_

REVENUES - CLASS A & B (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY *)

Particulars (a)	This Year (b)	Last Year (c)	
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES			_
Directory Revenue (5230)*	35,516	31,708	30
Rent Revenue (5240)*		0	31
Corporate Operations Revenue (5250)*		0	32
Miscellaneous:			
Miscellaneous Revenue (5260)*	15,604	10,225	33 C
Special Billing Arrangements Revenue (5261)			34
Customer Operations Revenue (5262)			35
Plant Operations Revenue (5263)			36
Other Incidental Regulated Revenue (5264)			37
Other Revenue Settlements (5269)			38
Total Miscellaneous Revenue (5260)	15,604	10,225	
Interstate Billing and Collection Revenue*	23,038	18,452	39
Intrastate Billing and Collection Revenue*	105,736	105,117	40
Total Carrier Billing and Collection Revenue (5270)*	128,774	123,569	
Nonregulated Operating Revenue (5280)**			41
TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	179,894	165,502	
GROSS OPERATING REVENUES	1,383,439	1,240,099	
UNCOLLECTIBLE REVENUES			
Uncollectible Revenue (5300)*	(1,334)	6,897	42 D
Uncollectible RevenueTelecommunications (5301)			43
Uncollectible RevenueOther (5302)			44
TOTAL UNCOLLECTIBLE REVENUE (5300)	(1,334)	6,897	_
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	1,384,773	1,233,202	

 $^{^{\}star\star}$ Account 5280 is to be used only by those companies subject to dual jurisdiction.

EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B

Particulars	Total Last Year	Total This Year	Salaries / Wages	
(a) PLANT SPECIFIC OPERATIONS EXPENSE	(b)	(c)	(d)	_
Total Network Support Expense (6110)		0	530	1
Less: Nonregulated		0	330	2
Net Regulated	0	0	530	3
Total General Support Expense (6120)	16,875	21,567	242	- 4
Less: Nonregulated	10,070	0	2-12	5
Net Regulated	16,875	21,567	242	6
Total Central Office Switching Expense (6210)	76,132	124,158	40,164	7
Less: Nonregulated	. 5, . 5=	0	10,101	8 E
Net Regulated	76,132	124,158	40,164	9
Total Operator Systems Expense (6220)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	0	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	- 10
Less: Nonregulated		0		11
Net Regulated	0	0	0	12
Total Central Office Transmission Expenses (6230)	3,807	5,422	3,959	_ 13
Less: Nonregulated		0		14
Net Regulated	3,807	5,422	3,959	15
Total Information Orig. / Term. Expense (6310)	0	176		16
Less: Nonregulated		0		17
Net Regulated	0	176	0	_18
Total Cable and Wire Fac. Expense (6410)	98,544	120,044	66,795	19
Less: Nonregulated		0		20 F
Net Regulated	98,544	120,044	66,795	21
TOTAL PLANT SPECIFIC OPERATIONS EXPENSE	195,358	271,367	111,690	
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	0	
Net Regulated	195,358	271,367	111,690	_
PLANT NONSPECIFIC OPERATIONS EXPENSE				
Total Other Property, Plant and Equip. Exp. (6510)	0	0	0	22
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	•	23
Net Regulated	0	0	0 00 000	_24
Total Network Operations Expense (6530)	29,515	37,578	29,368	25
Less: Nonregulated Net Regulated	20 515	0 37,578	20.269	26 G 27
	29,515	<u> </u>	29,368	_
Access Expense (6540) Less: Nonregulated		0		28 29
Net Regulated	0	0	0	30
Total Depreciation and Amortization Expense (6560)	289,136	347,407	<u> </u>	_30 _31
Less: Nonregulated	1,209	1,978		32
Net Regulated	287,927	345,429		33
TOTAL PLANT NONSPECIFIC OPERATIONS EXP.	318,651	384,985	29,368	
Less: Nonregulated	1,209	1,978	23,300	
Net Regulated	317,442	383,007	29,368	
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EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B (cont.)

	Clearances to (from) (i)	Other (h)	Rents (g)	Benefits (f)	Account (e)
	(17,021)	16,491			6110
	(17,021)	16,491	0	0	
		21,248		77	6120
	0	21,248	0	77	
		70,371		13,623	6210
	0	70,371	0	13,623	
1 1					6220
1	0	0	0	0	
1 1		104		1,359	6230
1	0	104	0	1,359	
1 1		176			6310
1	0	176	0	0	
1	9,184	21,615		22,450	6410
2	9,184	21,615	0	22,450	
	(7,837) 0	130,005 0	0 0	37,509 0	
	(7,837)	130,005	0	37,509	
2	0	0	0	0	6510
2	0	0		0	
2	(4,079)	4,170		8,119	6530
2	(4,079)	4,170	0	8,119	
2	() /	<u>, - </u>			6540
3	0	0	0	0	
3		347,407			6560
3		1,978 345,429			
	(4,079)	351,577	0	8,119	
	0 (4,079)	1,978 349,599	0 0	0 8,119	

EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B

Particulars (a)	Total Last Year (b)	Total This Year (c)	Salaries / Wages (d)	
CUSTOMER OPERATIONS EXPENSE				_
Total Marketing (6610)	11,285	14,871		34
Less: Nonregulated		0		35
Net Regulated	11,285	14,871	0	36
Total Services (6620)	196,799	203,012	63,840	37
Less: Nonregulated		0		38
Net Regulated	196,799	203,012	63,840	39
TOTAL CUSTOMER OPERATIONS EXPENSE	208,084	217,883	63,840	_
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	0	
Net Regulated	208,084	217,883	63,840	
CORPORATE OPERATIONS EXPENSE				_
Total Exec. and Planning (6710)	51,247	66,690	25,577	40
Less: Nonregulated		0		41 H
Net Regulated	51,247	66,690	25,577	42
Total General and Administrative (6720)	130,828	152,440	65,905	43
Less: Nonregulated		0		44
Net Regulated	130,828	152,440	65,905	45
Provision for Uncollectible Notes Receiv. (6790)		0		46
Less: Nonregulated		0		47
Net Regulated	0	0		48
TOTAL CORPORATE OPERATIONS EXPENSE	182,075	219,130	91,482	_
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	0	
Net Regulated	182,075	219,130	91,482	
TOTAL EXPENSES	904,168	1,093,365	296,380	_
Less: Nonregulated	1,209	1,978	0	
Net Regulated	902,959	1,091,387	296,380	

EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B (cont.)

	Clearances to (from) (i)	Other (h)	Rents (g)	Benefits (f)	Account (e)
34		14,871			6610
35	_			_	
36	0	14,871	0	0	
37 38		117,601		21,571	6620
39	0	117,601		21,571	
	0	132,472	0	21,571	
	0	0	0	0	
	0	132,472	0	21,571	
40		32,367		8,746	6710
41					
42	0	32,367		8,746	
43 44		64,797		21,738	6720
45	0	64,797		21,738	
46					6790
47		Ī			
48		0			
	0	97,164	0	30,484	
	0	0	0	0	
	0	97,164	0	30,484	
	(11,916)	711,218	0	97,683	
	0	1,978	0	0	
	(11,916)	709,240	0	97,683	

EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B (DETAIL)

Particulars (a)	Total Last Year (b)	Total This Year (c)	Salaries/ Wages (d)	
Property Held for Future Tele. Use Exp. (6511)		0		_ 1
Provisioning Expense (6512)		0		2
Total: Reported in Account 6510	0	0	0	
Depreciat. ExpTele. Plant in Service (6561)	289,136	347,407		3
Depreciat. ExpProp. Held for Future Tele. Use (6562)		0		4
Amortization ExpenseTangible (6563)		0		5
Amortization ExpenseIntangible (6564)		0		6
Amortization ExpenseOther (6565)		0		7
Total: Reported in Account 6560	289,136	347,407		_

EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B (DETAIL) (cont.)

Account (e)	Benefits (f)	Rents (g)	Other (h)	Clearances to (from) (i)	
6511					1
6512					2
	0		0	0	
6561			347,407		3
6562					4
6563					5
6564					6
6565					7
			347,407		

OUT-OF-STATE OPERATING REVENUES

- 1. This schedule is to be completed only by those companies having out-of-state revenues. For the purpose of completing this schedule, and for PSCW use in calculating Wisconsin remainder assessment revenues, out-of-state revenues are specifically defined in headnote 2.
- 2. Out-of-state revenues are those derived exclusively from communications physically originating outside of Wisconsin. Out-of-state revenues do not include a) access revenues from "inbound" communications originating outside the state, or b) revenues from communications originating in Wisconsin and terminating outside the state, or c) revenues allocable to Wisconsin-based facilities used for communications originating and terminating outside of the state.

Description (a)	This Year (b)
Out-of-state operating revenues	0 1
Less: current year write-offs of uncollectible accounts - out-of-state utility customers only	2
Plus: current year collection of out-of-state utility customer accounts previously written off	3
Net out-of-state operating revenues	0

OTHER INCOME ACCOUNTS (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY *)

Particulars (a)	This Year (b)	Last Year (c)	,
OTHER OPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSE			-
Income from Custom Work (7110)*		0	1
Return from Nonregulated Use of Regulated Facilities (7130)*		0	2
Gains and (Losses) from Foreign Exchange (7140)		0	3
Gains or (Losses) from the Disposition of Land and Artworks (7150)		0	_ 4
Other Operating Gains and (Losses) (7160)*		0	5
TOTAL OTHER OPERATING INCOME AND (EXPENSE) (7100)*	0	0	_
OPERATING TAXES			
Operating Investment Tax CreditsNet (7210)*	(4,789)	(4,956)	6
Operating Federal Income Taxes (7220)*	20,905	25,042	7
Operating State and Local Income Taxes (7230)*	6,679	6,643	_ 8
Operating Other Taxes (7240)*	85,660	72,751	9
Provision for Deferred Operating Income TaxesNet (7250)*	1,485	11,269	_10
TOTAL OPERATING TAXES (7200)*	109,940	110,749	_
NONOPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSE			
Dividend Income (7310)*		0	11
Interest Income (7320)*	14,121	21,358	_12
Income from Sinking and Other Funds (7330)*		0	13
Allowance for Funds Used During Construction (7340)*	4,353	0	_14
Gains or (Losses) from the Disposition of Certain Property (7350)*			
Other Nonoperating Income (7360)*	351,603		_16
Special Charges (7370)*	(4,545)	(12,150)	
TOTAL NONOPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSE (7300)*	374,622	33,508	_
NONOPERATING TAXES			
Nonoperating Investment Tax CreditsNet (7410)*		0	_18
Nonoperating Federal Income Taxes (7420)*	78,339	6,710	19
Nonoperating State and Local Income Taxes (7430)*	21,189	2,925	_
Nonoperating Other Taxes (7440)*		0	21
Provision for Deferred Nonoperating Income Taxes-Net (7450)*	40,065		_ 22
TOTAL NONOPERATING TAXES (7400)*	139,593	9,635	-
INTEREST AND RELATED ITEMS			
Interest on Funded Debt (7510)*	112,973	106,712	
Interest ExpenseCapital Leases (7520)*		0	_24
Amortization of Debt Issuance Expense (7530)*	47		25
Other Interest Deductions (7540)*	14,318	1,808	_ 26
TOTAL INTEREST AND RELATED ITEMS (7500)*	127,338	108,567	-
EXTRAORDINARY ITEMS			~=
Extraordinary Items (7600)*			27
Extraordinary Income Credits (7610)			_28
Extraordinary Income Charges (7620)			29
Current Income Tax Effect of Extraordinary ItemsNet (7630)			_30
Provision for Deferred Income Tax Effect of Extraordinary ItemsNet (7640)		0	31
TOTAL EXTRAORDINARY ITEMS (7600)*	0	0	_
NONREGULATED NET INCOME			
Nonregulated Net Income (7990)*	4,947	19,829	_32

NONREGULATED NET INCOME (ACCT. 7990)

Particulars (a)	Amount (b)	
Revenues (Acct. 7990.1)		
Gross Sales	209,368	1
Less: Cost of Goods Sold	163,784	2
Net Sales	45,584	3
Expenses (Acct. 7990.2)	40,637	4
Nonregulated Net Income	4,947	5

List the type of nonregulated activities that company is involved in:

THE COMPANYS NONREGULATED ACTIVITY PRIMARILY CONSISTS OF THE SALE AND LEASING OF NONREGULATED TELEPHONE EQUIPMENT. THE COMPANY ALSO INCURRED EXPENSES OF \$31,690 RELATED TO INTERNET ACTIVITY IN 1996.

If the revenues from an individual nonregulated activity represent in excess of 5% of the total operating revenues for the company, please provide the amounts, as requested above, for that individual activity:

DISTRIBUTION OF SALARIES AND WAGES

Description (a)	Amount (b)	
Regulated Expense	296,380	1
Nonregulated Expense	24,080	2
Plant Accounts	41,817	3
Accumulated Depreciation Accounts	471	4
All Other Accounts		5
Total Salaries and Wages	362,748	 6

EMPLOYEE DATA

Compensation includes wages, commissions, bonuses and any other cash allowances paid to employees.

	Number of Eq Full-Time Em			
Employee Category (a)	FOY (b)	EOY (c)	Total Compensation (d)	
Officers	1.00	1.00	46,778	1
Supervision and Other Management	1.00	1.00	71,253	2
Other Employees	11.00	12.00	244,717	3
Total	13.00	14.00	362,748	

EMPLOYEE DATA

Compensation includes wages, commissions, bonuses and any other cash allowances paid to employees.

Number of Equivalent

	Full-Time Employees			
Employee Category (a)	FOY (b)	EOY (c)	Total Compensation (d)	
Officers	1.00	1.00	46,778	1
Supervision and Other Management	1.00	1.00	71,253	2
Other Employees	11.00	12.00	244,717	3
Total	13.00	14.00	362,748	

TELEPHONE CALLS AND MINUTES OF USE PER MONTH

Enter average number, in thousands, of calls and minutes of use per month. The averages may be based on actual counts taken periodically during the year. Please provide level of detail available.

ltem	Telephone Calls (000's)	Minutes of Use (000's)	
(a)	(b)	` (c) ´	_
LOCAL			
Intra-Exchange			_ 1
Extended Area Service			_ 2
Extended Community Calling			_ 3
Other Local-Undefined			4
Total Local	0	0	_
TOLL			_
Operator Handled: StateintraLATA		5	_ 5
Operator Handled: StateinterLATA		3	_ 6
Operator Handled: Interstate		6	7
Customer Dialed: StateintraLATA	21	180	_ 8
Customer Dialed: StateinterLATA	9	117	9
Customer Dialed: Interstate	12	221	10
WATS			11
Other Toll-Undefined			12
Total Toll	42	532	_
Total Local & Toll	42	532	_
			

ACCESS USAGE

Enter number, in thousands, of Billed Minutes.

		Billed Minu	utes (000's)		
Description (a)	Interstate InterLATA (b)	Intrastate InterLATA (c)	Intrastate IntraLATA (d)	Interstate IntraLATA (e)	_
Feature Group A Orig.					1
Feature Group A Term.	3	26			2
Feature Group B Orig.					3
Feature Group B Term.	36	3			4
Feature Group C Orig.			1,182		5
Feature Group C Term.			1,047		6
Feature Group D Orig.	931	662			7
Feature Group D Term.	1,772	767			8

OUTSIDE PLANT STATISTICS AT END OF YEAR

Descriptio (a	on of Item Amount a) (b)	
Sheath miles of plant - aerial		1
Sheath miles of plant - buried	433	2
Sheath miles of plant - fiber optics	21	3
Strand miles of plant - fiber optics	368	4
Route miles of plant - microwave		5

SPECIAL ACCESS CIRCUITS IN USE AT END OF YEAR

Circuit Type (a)	InterLATA IntraLATA Chan. Terms. Chan. Terms. (b) (c)	_
Voice grade	2 7	1
56 kbps		2
64 kbps (DS0)		3
1.54 Mbps (DS-1)	11	4
45 Mbps (DS-3)		5
SONET OC-1		6
SONET OC-3		7
SONET OC-12		8
SONET OC-48		_ 9
SONET OC-192		10

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OUTSIDE PLANT STATISTICS AT END OF YEAR

Descriptio (a	on of Item Amount a) (b)	
Sheath miles of plant - aerial		1
Sheath miles of plant - buried	433	2
Sheath miles of plant - fiber optics	21	3
Strand miles of plant - fiber optics	368	4
Route miles of plant - microwave		5

SPECIAL ACCESS CIRCUITS IN USE AT END OF YEAR

Circuit Type (a)	InterLATA IntraLATA Chan. Terms. Chan. Terms. (b) (c)	_
Voice grade	2 7	1
56 kbps		2
64 kbps (DS0)		3
1.54 Mbps (DS-1)	11	4
45 Mbps (DS-3)		_ 5
SONET OC-1		6
SONET OC-3		_ 7
SONET OC-12		8
SONET OC-48		_ 9
SONET OC-192		_10

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SERVICE DATA

ltem (a)	FOY (b)	EOY (c)
Business		
1 Party	154	170
2 Party	0	
4 Party	0	
PBX Trunks/System Trunks	0	
Centrex Trunks	0	
Centrex Lines	23	33
Key System Trunks	2	2
Mobile (Utility Provided Service)	0	
Paging (Utility Provided Service)	0	
FX-Out (Switched)	2	1
Pay Telephone		
Coin-Operated Pay Telephone		
Independent Pay Telephone Provider		
Pay Stations - Public	4	6
- Semi-Public	3	2
- Cust. Owned	0	
Other	0	
Total Business Lines	188	214
Residential (Incl. Emp. Concess.)		
1 Party	1,473	1,537
2 Party	0	
4 Party	0	
FX-Out (Switched)	0	
Other	0	
Total Residential Lines	1,473	1,537
Total Bus & Res Lines	1,661	1,751
Company Used Lines	28	31
Total Lines Used	1,689	1,782

SERVICE DATA (cont.)

Item (a)	FOY (b)	EOY (c)
Miscellaneous	, ,	
WATS Lines - OutWATS	0	
WATS Lines - 800 Service	0	
FX-In-intraLATA	18	
Special Access-intraLATA		
(expressed in equiv. access lines)	7	7
Special Access-interLATA		
(expressed in equiv. access lines)	218	266
Feature Group A Lines	63	63
Feature Group B Trunks	0	
Feature Group C Trunks	0	
Feature Group D Trunks	90	90
TSPS - Trunks	7	7
EAS - Trunks	111	111
Cellular Trunks (Pub. Sw. Net.)	0	
Video Distance Learning		
- discounted (special tariff)	0	
Customers		
Business - 2 Party Customers	0	
Business - 4 Party Customers	0	
Residential - 2 Party Customers	0	
Residential - 4 Party Customers	0	
Other		
Total Central Office, Info. Orig./Term., & Cable Wire Fac. Assets (based on physical		
location of plant)	4,170,898	4,711,428
Total Company Square Miles	0	88
Total Company Route Miles	0	454
Footnotes		

SERVICE DATA - END OF YEAR

Item (a)	Exchange (b)	Exchange (c)	Exchange (d)	Exchange (e)
PSCW Exchange ID	0010			
Business				
1 Party	170			
2 Party				
4 Party				
PBX Trunks/System Trunks				
Centrex Trunks				
Centrex Lines	33			
Key System Trunks	2			
Mobile (utility provided service)				
Paging (utility provided service)				
FX-Out (Switched)	1			
Pay Telephone				
Coin-Operated Pay Telephone				
Independent Pay Telephone Provider				
Pay Stations - Public	6			
- Semi-Public	2			
- Cust. Owned				
Other				
Total Business Lines	214	0	0	0
Residential (Incl. Emp. Concess.)				
1 Party	1,537			
2 Party				
4 Party				
FX-Out (Switched)				
Other				
Total Residential Lines	1,537	0	0	0
Total Bus & Res Lines	1,751	0	0	0
Company Used Lines	31			
Total Lines Used	1,782	0	0	0

SERVICE DATA - END OF YEAR (cont.)

ltem (a)	Exchange (b)	Exchange (c)	Exchange (d)	Exchange (e)
PSCW Exchange ID	0010			
Miscellaneous				
WATS Lines - OutWATS				
WATS Lines - 800 Service				
FX-In-intraLATA				
Special Access-intraLATA				
(equiv. access lines)	7			
Special Access-interLATA				
(equiv. access lines)	266			
Feature Group A Lines	63			
Feature Group B Trunks				
Feature Group C Trunks				
Feature Group D Trunks	90			
TSPS - Trunks	7			
EAS - Trunks	111			
Cellular Trunks (Pub. Sw. Net.)				
Video Distance Learning				
- discounted (special tariff)				
Customers				
Business - 2 Party Customers				
Business - 4 Party Customers				
Residential - 2 Party Customers				
Residential - 4 Party Customers				
Other				
Exchange C.O., Info. Orig./Term., & Cable)			
Wire Fac. Assets (based on physical				
location of plant)	4,711,428			
Exchange Square Miles	88			
Exchange Route Miles	454			
Footnotes				

MANUFACTURER ABBREVIATIONS

Use these abbreviations when completing the central office data schedule.

	Manufacturer Name (a)	Abbreviation (b)	
Alcatel		AL	1
ATTC		ATT	2
GTE		GTE	3
ITT		ITT	4
Nippon Electric		NEC	5
Northern Telecom		NTI	6
Siemens		SI	7
Stromberg-Carlson		SC	8
VIDAR		VI	9

EQUIPMENT ABBREVIATIONS

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	Equipment Type (a)	Abbreviation (b)	
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CENTRAL OFFICE DATA - END OF YEAR

When an exchange has more than one central office, data must be reported for each central office.

Description (a)	Central Off. (b)	Central Off. (c)	Central Off. (d)	Central Off. (e)
Exchange Name	ABRAMS	` ,	• • •	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
PSCW Exchange ID	0010			
Central Office Name	ABRAMS			
PSCW Central Office ID	1			
Manufacturer of COE (Page 54)	NTI			
ear COE Installed	1984			
Type of Equipment (Page 54)	D			
S)tandalone, (H)ost, (R)emote	Н			
Remote Host PSCW Exchange ID				
Remote Host PSCW Central Office ID	0			
COE Generic Software Release No.	408.10			
SS7?	Yes			
-1-1?	Yes			
access Lines - In Use	1,782			
- Equipped	2,343			
- Wired	3,056			
runks - In Use	211			
- Equipped	312			
- Wired	576			
SDN Available?	No			
SDN Lines - In Use (BRI)	0			
- In Use (PRI)	0			
Switched 56 Service?	No			
Switched 56 lines in use	0			
Digital Transmission Facilities: DS-1 - In Use	10			
DS-3 - In Use	0			
dvanced Data Service Available:				
Packet Switching?	No			
SMDS?	No			
Frame Relay?	No			
ATM (Asynchronous Trans. Mode)?	No			
/ideo Information - Service Available?	No			
- In Use (# lines) ¹	0			
iber Transmission Facilities:				
No. of fiber strands entering C.O.	68			
No. of fiber strands working (LIT) in C.O.	20			
No. of fiber strands for interoffice use	62			
Miles of fiber sheath in wire center	21			
Access Tandem Serving this C.O.:				
- C.O. Name	GREEN BAY			
- PSCW C.O. ID	2160-01			
Ooes this C.O. do access tandem switching?	No			
Equal Access: InterLATA (1+)?	Yes			
Equal Access: IntraLATA (1+)?	No			

¹ Teleco provided end-to-end facility.

GENERAL, SCHEDULE LEVEL AND SCHEDULE LINE FOOTNOTES

General Footnote

Schedule Footnotes

Expense Matrix - Class A & B Footnote. Page 41

Padlocks for footnotes in all schedules were opened July 1997 by ele per July 8, 1997 fax from Roger Hermsen.

Schedule Line Footnotes

- A) TO RECLASSIFY BALANCE FOY TO THE APPROPRIATE SUB ACCOUNTS
- B) PAGE 25, COLUMN (g) LINES 4 AND 5 REPRESENT A TRANSFER OF DIGITAL SWITCHING REMOTE EQUIPMENT TO THE PROPER ACCOUNT.
- C) MISCELLANEOUS OPERATING REVENUE INCREASED DUE TO MORE SERVICES BEING GENERATED THROUGH AMERITECH, AT&T AND OTHER LONG DISTANCE CARRIERS DURING 1996.
- D) UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUE HAS A CREDIT BALANCE IN 1996 DUE TO COLLECTIONS EXCEEDING THE 1996 WRITE-OFFS.
- E) DIGITAL ELECTRONIC EXPENSE INCREASED DUE TO THE EXPENSING OF A COE SOFTWARE UPDATE AMOUNTING TO \$45,833.
- F) BURIED CABLE INCREASE WAS DUE TO MORE WORK INVOLVED IN THIS AREA. LABOR AND RELATED BENEFITS INCREASED BY APPROXIMATELY \$18,300.
- G) PLANT OPERATION ADMINISTRATION INCREASED IN 1996 DUE TO CHANGES IN THE ALLOCATION OF WAGES FOR THE PRESIDENT AND THE GENERAL MANAGER.
- H) EXECUTIVE EXPENSE INCREASED DUE TO A CHANGE IN THE ALLOCATION OF WAGES FOR THE PRESIDENT AND THE GENERAL MANAGER.
- DURING 1996, THE COMPANY CHANGED ITS METHOD OF ACCOUNTING FOR ITS REA CELLULAR PARTNERSHIP FROM THE COST METHOD TO THE EQUITY METHOD. THIS RESULTED IN A NET DECREASE IN RETAINED EARNINGS OF \$54,994.
- J) SEE ATTACHED COMPILATION LETTER INCLUDED AS PART OF THIS REPORT.